

ANT VISITED BY ARMY BOARD ON INSPECTION

Inspection Capacity of
Arsenal Interests Seven High
United States Officers.

Seven colonels of the United
States army, members and officials
of the infantry ordnance and cav-

alry departments, are making a
visit of inspection today at Rock
Island Arsenal, where they were
present on similar work yesterday.
Colonels T. H. Dugan and A. E.
Phillips with Lieutenant Colonel
Sweeney and G. H. Jamerson, form
the infantry and cavalry board of
the army. The party also includes
Lieutenant Colonel Lee O. Wright,
George B. Hunter and J. A. Atkins,
in the capacity of members of the
army technical staff, practically an
ordnance body, and Second Lieut-

enant W. B. Miller.
The official purpose of this visit
is to give the officials an opportu-
nity to look over the equipment the
ordnance department had during
the war, and to investigate facili-
ties at the island plant for the

manufacture of infantry and cav-
alry equipment. Their visit con-
cluded into this afternoon.

Several other important officers
visited the post on business during
the past few days. Colonel Edwin
O. Saunders, judge advocate of the
army, was there for a few days last
week looking up matters relating to
land titles at Savanna, Ill. Col-
onel K. B. Haroon of the ordnance
visited the island and the Savanna
proving grounds Saturday, to in-
spect certain features of the latter
place. Colonel J. B. Rose and
Major G. R. Allen were at the ar-
senal Monday to discharge busi-
ness relating to designing of field
artillery, their special function in
the service. Lieutenant Colonel J.

C. King and Captain J. R. Haddall
were visitors to conduct medical
examination work. Captain C. M.
Bryant also being in this detail.
Given More Duties.
First Lieutenant W. R. Manger

has been assigned to a new set of
duties in addition to his work as
the officer in charge of the motor
transport equipment at the arsenal.
He has been directed to act in ad-
dition as assistant to the officer in

charge of the purchase, storage and
traffic division and assistant to the
post transportation officer.
Captain J. M. Hassett, one of the
11 ordnance department officers re-
tained permanently at the arsenal,

is at present in Washington on de-
tached service. His mission is con-
cerned with the shipment and other
details of the salvage of war equip-
ment distributed to camps and field
posts during the war, the salvage

work lately entered into upon a
large scale by the arsenal.
All animals use their hind legs
to move them along, the fore-legs
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Dresses for street and shopping wear. Dresses
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THE MATERIALS—Serge, Tricoline, Velveteen, Sat-
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and harem skirts. Tailored and flowing sleeves. Square, round
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Special Lot 1/2 Price

About 75 garments in this lot embracing many of our
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Clearance of Furs

Children's and Misses fur sets in New Zealand Rabbit,
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al Lynx. Values up to \$27.50 a set. Your choice—HALF PRICE.

Laies' muffs. A limited assortment of muffs in Kolinsky,
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SPECIAL:

One Sealine Coat; regular price \$298.00—A
wonderful bargain—
Half Price **\$149.00**

Special Three Day Offering of Women's and Misses' Sweaters

Coat and slipon models in the most attractive styles
and colorings. Collarless, tuxedo collar effects,
with flare bottom and bell sleeves. Staple coat
models with roll or convertible collars. Wool and
fibre silk. Former prices were: \$9.95, \$10.95, \$11.95, \$12.95;
and \$15.75. Now at one
price **\$7.98**

SPECIAL

One only, old rose silk sweater with gray and
rose striped collar and ripple; knitted sash;
square collar; regular price
\$28.00. Special **\$14.75**

SPECIAL

One only, pure angora sweater; dark blue with
contrast reverse and cuffs. A stylish and beau-
tiful garment. Was \$27.50,
now **\$14.75**

Blanket Bargains

All new, direct from the mills. Have not been
used or renovated. Merchandise that will
give satisfaction. Single bed size, 50x72 in:
plain gray, colored border, regular
\$2.75 value. Sale price, pair **\$1.95**

Double bed size, 70 x 84 inches; soft finish.
Tan or gray. Regular \$5.00 value. **3.95**
Sale price

Wool finish blankets, large size, heavy weight,
plaids, 74x82 inch. Regular \$8.75
value. Sale price, Pair **7.00**

Wool and cotton blankets. Beautiful line of
soft colored plaids. Good, generous size. Reg-
ular \$12.50 values. Sale price,
pair **9.50**

Pre-Inventory Sale in the Men's Section

Many Small Lots That We Will Close Out in This Sale Much Below
Wholesale Cost

MEN'S UNION SUITS—Ecru ribbed,
fleece union suits; sub-standards of reg-
ular \$2.00 values, special in
this sale, suit **\$1.12**

Men's heavy gray and ecru, ribbed
fleece union suits, \$2.50 value,
Clearance Sale price, suit **1.67**

Men's heavy ribbed fleece union suits,
gray or ecru. Regular \$2.75
value. Sale price, suit **1.89**

Men's all-wool sweater coats,
roll collar, navy only. \$8.75 value
values up to \$9.25 **4.12**

Men's all-wool and worsted sweaters in
rope stitch, Shaker and Cardigan weave,
oxford, maroon and stripes
values up to \$9.25 **6.75**

Boys' Mackinaw Coats, assorted colors,
larger sizes only. **3.95**
Special **3.95**

Men's fabric work gloves. Waterproof
material; 35c value. Sale
price, pair **15c**

Men's kahki handkerchiefs;
very special, 4 for **25c**

Men's gray wool mixed shirts and
drawers. Substandards of \$2.00 values.
Priced for quick clearance, per
garment **\$1.00**

Men's navy blue and oxford gray sweater
coats. Roll collar. Regular
\$1.75 value. Sale price **1.25**

Men's wool mixed and worsted plaid
sweater coats, roll collar, maroon and ox-
ford. \$4.00 and \$4.50 values,
each **2.95**

Men's navy blue sweater coats,
roll collar, \$2.95 value **1.89**

Boys' odd sweater coats, all wool and
wool mixed; values to \$4.50.
Special clearance price **2.59**

Boys' navy sweaters, roll col-
lars; price **1.25**

Men's fleece lined leather work gloves;
\$1.00 values; a big bargain for
quick selling. Pair **69c**

Women's Unions

Silk, wool and wool and cotton
mixed union suits. Several dif-
ferent weights. Broken sizes
and styles. \$3.50 to \$4.50 values.
Clearance sale
price **\$2.98**

Women's white fleeced cotton
union suits. Broken sizes of
several styles. This is an ex-
ceptional value.
While they last **\$1.19**

Fleeced Vest

Small lot of women's vests, high
neck and long sleeves only.
Broken sizes. **49c**
Special

Children's Unions

Cotton fleeced suits. Broken
sizes and styles. Values up to
\$1.25 each. Clear-
ance price **59c**

Children's Wool Mixed
Mixed cotton and wool vests and
pants. Gray and white. Val-
ues 75c to \$1.25. Brok-
en sizes; closing price. **69c**

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A complete showing in all shades and heather mixtures.
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